

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಎಂ. ಮಂಜುನಾಥ್.— ನಾನು ಉತ್ತೇಕ್ಷೆಮಾಡಿ ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾ ಇಲ್ಲ. ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳು, ಪ್ರಾಥಮಿಕ ಬೇಸಾಯ ಸಹಕಾರ ಸಂಘಗಳು ೯ ಇವೆ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅವು ಎಲ್ಲಿವೆ ಎನ್ನುವುದು ನನಗೆ ಗೊತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ. ಇದನ್ನು ಮತ್ತೊಮ್ಮೆ ಪರಿಶೀಲನೆಮಾಡಿ ಹೇಳಿ? ಈ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಯನ್ನು ಹೋಲ್ಡ್ ಓವರಮಾಡಿ.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.— ಅರ್ಥಗಂಟಿ ಕಾಲದ ಚರ್ಚೆಗೆ ನೋಟೀಸ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿ ಅಲೋಮಾಡುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಎಂ. ಮಂಜುನಾಥ್.— ಅಷ್ಟು ಹೊತ್ತಿಗೆ ಅಸೆಂಬ್ಲಿ ಅಧಿವೇಶನ ಮುಗಿದು ಹೋಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.— ಜಾಗೃತೆ ಬರುವಂತೆ ಎರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇನೆ. Now the Questions are over;

Questions for Answers on the Day (but not taken up)

FOREIGN TECHNICAL EXPERTS ENGAGED BY M. I. S. L. BHADRAVATHI

969. Sri M. B. RAMASWAMY (Anekal).—Will the Minister for Industries be pleased to state :—

(a) the number of German and Austrian Technical experts engaged by M/s. MISL, Bhadravathi from the year 1966-67 together with the terms and conditions on which they have been appointed;

(b) whether the company has at any time extended their period of appointment, and if so, the names and nature of extension allowed to such technicians;

(c) the liability involved in terms of cash in each case of extension by way of payment of income-tax etc.;

(d) whether the liability involved is commensurate with expertise and if so, how ?

Sri S. M. KRISHNA (Minister for Industries).—

(a) German Experts ... 13

Austrian Experts ... 4

These above experts were appointed by entering into agreements with the suppliers for deputation of these experts.

Copies of agreements defining the terms and conditions are placed on the table.

(b) The technicians were deputed by the supplying firms for the erection and commissioning of Plant and Machinery under the respective erection agreement of Steel Expansion Scheme, Refractories Expansion and Alloy and Special Steel Schemes.

The agreement of Steel Expansion Scheme dated 13th July 1961 expired in November 1965 and in the interest of the Company the same was extended during 1966-67.

The names of foreign technicians who worked under the extended period of Steel Expansion Scheme are given below:

1. Mr. Kurt Scheltzke
2. Mr. Fredrichsdorf
3. Mr. Gornaik
4. Mr. A. Kaufmann
5. Mr. W. Wienecke
6. Mr. Sadlowsky

(c) No liability was involved in terms of cash on the Company by way of income-tax for extension of the erection agreement of Steel Expansion Scheme except the payment of salaries.

	Rs.
Salaries including over time etc. paid in D. M.	19,04,078 /
Living expenses paid in Rs. in India.	3,38,986

(d) The production in various units of the Steel Expansion Scheme was under standardisation and hence there was no other alternative but to extend the erection agreement of the Steel Expansion Scheme. During the extended period, the German personnel were engaged in commissioning and standardisation of the production in the new units.

Calling Attention to Matters of urgent Public Importance.

re: Injury to preserve due to Lathi-Charge by Police at Haliyal.

Sri B. B. SAYANAK (Belgaum).— Madam, I call the attention of the Chief Minister to the injury caused to some persons due to lathi charge by the police at Haliyal in Karwar District.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA. (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).— On behalf of the Chief Minister, Madam, I wish to make the following statement:

It is reported that when the Minister for Municipal Administration had to address a public meeting at Haliyal on 16-3-1973 in connection with the Municipal Elections, some persons disturbed the meeting. There was pelting of stones also. The Police had to intervene and disperse the mob. No lathi charge was made by the Police. The Police merely hit their lathies on the ground to scare away the mob. Due to stone throwing, one Head Constable and three Police Constables received minor injuries, but no member of the public including Mr. Yahya M. L. A. was injured. A case under Sections 147-149, 353, 337, 323 and 332 IPC was registered against 12 persons. Ten persons have been arrested so far. The case is under investigation.

Sri B. B. SAYANAK.— Has it come to the notice of the Government that the hon. Member Sri Yahya, Secretary of the M.P.C.C., was injured on that day and was taken to the Hubli Hospital? This has appeared in all the news papers.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.— The Statement I have made is very clear that Sri Yahya or any member of the public was not injured and in spite of that if the hon. Member puts a question whether they were injured, I fail to understand the propriety of it.

Sri B. B. SAYANAK.— In the Press it has appeared that Sri Yahya was injured.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.— I do not know who has given that information to the Press. I doubt whether he has been responsible for that.

- ii) re: Inconvenience to Gawli Community due to Reported Attempt by Forest Dept. to evict them from the Hunasekatte, village, Bhadravathi Taluk.

Sri KAGODU THIMMAPPA (Sagar).— Madam, I call the attention of the Minister for Agriculture and Forests to the inconvenience caused to the Gawli Community due to the reported attempt by the Forest Department to evict them from S. No. 14 of Hunsekatte Village, Bhadravathi Taluk.

Sri K. H. PATIL (Minister for Agriculture and Forests).— Madam, I wish to make the following statement :

The Hon'ble Members know very well that forests are our national assets and it is the sacred duty of every one of us to preserve and develop them.

It has been represented that about 40 families belonging to Gowli Community are residing in S. No. 14 of Hunasekatte Village, Bhadravathi Taluk. They had requested for the release of the S. No. for allotment as house sites.

S. No. 14 of Hunasekatte is included in Umblebyle State Forest. It is surrounded by 1970 plantation. Some Gowlies are residing in S. No. 14 of Hunsekatte and have put up about 40 temporary small thatched huts. No permanent houses have been put up. Gowlies being Nomadic, move about within the forest with their buffalows. Setting up of viz camps within the forest will have a very bad effect, on forests; generally they are also quite well off. In consideration of these circumstances, disforecement in the heart of the forest was not considered. The Forest Department had taken action to evict the encroachers.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕಾಗೋಡು ತಿಮ್ಮಪ್ಪ.— ಇದರಲ್ಲಿ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಅವರ ಅರಣ್ಯ ೧೯೭೦ ರಿಂದ ಅಸ್ತಿತ್ವಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆ ಎಂದು ಕಂಡು ಬರುತ್ತದೆ. ಈಗಿರತಕ್ಕ ೪೦ ಕುಟುಂಬಗಳು ಕಳೆದ ೩೦-೪೦ ವರ್ಷಗಳಿಂದ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಮನೆ ಕಟ್ಟಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವುದು

ನಿಜವೇ? ಹಾಗಿದ್ದ ಪಕ್ಷದಲ್ಲಿ ಅವರಿಗೋಸ್ಕರ ಬಾವಿಗಳನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿರ ತಕ್ಕದ್ದು ನಿಜವೇ? ಹಾಗಾದರೆ ಆ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಗ್ರಾಮಕ್ಕೋಸ್ಕರ ಬಿಟ್ಟು ಅವರಿಗೆ ಅಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಏಕೆ ಅವಕಾಶ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಡಬಾರದು?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಎಚ್. ಪಾಟೀಲ್.— ನಾನು ಆಗಲೇ ಹೇಳಿದೆ. ನಿಜವಾಗಿಯೂ ಮನೆ ಇಲ್ಲದೆ ಅವರು ತೊಂದರೆಗೆ ಈಡಾಗಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಸ್ಥಳ ಇಲ್ಲದೇ ಇರುವವರಿಗೆ ಸ್ಥಳ ಕೊಡಬೇಕು ಎನ್ನುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ನಿಲುವೆಯಾಗಿದೆ. ಅರಣ್ಯ ಮಧ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುತ್ತಾರೆ ಅಂದರೆ, ಯಾವ ಉದ್ದೇಶದಿಂದ ಇರುತ್ತಾರೆ ಎಂದು ಸಂಶಯ ಬರುತ್ತದೆ. ಅದಕ್ಕಾಗಿ ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರಿಗೆ ಬಿನ್ನ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಅರಣ್ಯ ಮಧ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಇರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಬದಲು ಬೇರೆ ಕಡಿ ಗುಡಿಸಲು ಹಾಕುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಬೇಕಾದ ಜಮೀನನ್ನು ಕೊಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಸಿದ್ಧವಾಗಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕಾಗೋಡು ತಿಮ್ಮಪ್ಪ.— ಆ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಅರಣ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳುವುದಕ್ಕಿಂತ ಮುಂಚೆ ಅವರು ಅಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿದ್ದರು. ಆ ಭೂಮಿಯನ್ನು ೧೯೭೦ನೇ ಇಸವಿಯಲ್ಲಿ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಇಲಾಖೆ ವಶಕ್ಕೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿರುವುದರಿಂದ, ಅರಣ್ಯ ಅಸ್ತಿತ್ವಕ್ಕೆ ಬರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಮುಂಚೆ ೩೦-೪೦ ವರ್ಷಗಳಿಂದ ಅವರು ಅಲ್ಲಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿದ್ದರು. ಈ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಕನವರ್‌ಷನ್ ಮಾಡಲು ಎಲಿನ್‌ಟ್ ಮಾಡಬೇಕು; ಎಂದು ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಬೋರ್ಡಿನವರು ಮತ್ತು ಪಂಚಾಯತಿಯವರು ಕೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅದುದರಿಂದ ಖಾಯಂ ಆಗಿ ವಾಸವಾಗಿರತಕ್ಕವರನ್ನು, ಊರು ಮನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡಿರುವವರನ್ನು ಎಬ್ಬಿಸುವುದು ವಾಸ್ತವಿಕವಲ್ಲ.

ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ಅಂಥಾವರನ್ನು ಎಬ್ಬಿಸುವುದಾದರೆ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಕೊಡಬೇಕಾದಂಥ ಪರಿಹಾರ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಡಬೇಕು. ಅವರಿಗೆ ಏನೂ ಇಲ್ಲದೆ ಹಾಗೆಯೇ ಬಿಟ್ಟು ಬಿಡಿರಿ ಎಂದರೆ ಅಷ್ಟು ಸುಲಭವಾಗಿ ಆಗುವದಿಲ್ಲ. ಒಂದು ವೇಳೆ ಅವರು ಅರಣ್ಯದಲ್ಲಿ ಅತಿಕ್ರಮವಾಗಿ ಹೋಗಿ ಮನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕಟ್ಟಿಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದರೆ ಅದು ಬೇರೆ ಮಾತು. ಅವರು ಬಹಳ ವರ್ಷದಿಂದಲೂ ಆ ಸ್ಥಳದಲ್ಲೇ ಇದ್ದು ಮನೆ ಕಟ್ಟಿಕೊಂಡು ಅಲ್ಲೇ ವಾಸ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಅರಣ್ಯವನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅಂಥಾದ್ದರಲ್ಲಿ ಆ ಪ್ರದೇಶವನ್ನು ಬಿಟ್ಟುಕೊಡಬೇಕು ಎಂದರೆ ಹೇಗೆ?

1-30 P. M.

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಎಚ್. ಪಾಟೀಲ್.— ಮಾನ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರು ಹೇಳಿದ ಹಾಗೆ ಅವರು ಬಹಳ ವರ್ಷದಿಂದಲೂ ಸ್ಥಳದಲ್ಲೇ ಇದ್ದು ಅವರು ಆ ಮಾಲಕಿ ಜಮೀನನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದರೆ ನಿಜವಾಗಿಯೂ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಆ ಹಕ್ಕು ಬರುತ್ತದೆ. ಆದರಲ್ಲಿ ಸರ್ಕಾರ ಪ್ರವೇಶ ಮಾಡುವದಿಲ್ಲ. ಅದು ಅರಣ್ಯ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲೇ ಇರಲಿ ಅಥವಾ ರೆವಿನ್ಯೂ ಇಲಾಖೆಯಲ್ಲೇ ಇರಲಿ ಆ ಬಯಲು ಜಾಗದಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾರಾದರೂ ಅತಿಕ್ರಮಣ ಪ್ರವೇಶ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದರೆ ಅಂಥಾ ಜನರ ಮೇಲೆ ಕಾನೂನುಬದ್ಧವಾಗಿ ಕ್ರಮ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕಾಗುತ್ತದೆ.

ಎರಡನೆಯದಾಗಿ ಶ್ರೀಮಾನ್ ಕಾಗೋಡುರಿಮ್ಮಪ್ಪನವರು ಅವರಿಗೆ ಪರಿಹಾರದ ವಿಷಯವಾಗಿ ಹೇಳಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅವರು ಸರಕಾರದ ಪಟ್ಟಿ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡಿದ್ದು ಆ ಜಮೀನನ್ನು ಅವರದೇ ಎಂದು ಸಾಬೀತು ಮಾಡಿಕೊಟ್ಟರೆ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಅವಶ್ಯವಾಗಿ ಪರಿಹಾರ ಕೊಡುವದಕ್ಕೆ ಫಾರಿಸ್ಟ್ ಡಿಪಾರ್ಟ್‌ಮೆಂಟ್‌ನವರು ಹಿಂದು ಮುಂದು ನೋಡುವುದಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಹೇಳುತ್ತೇನೆ.

(iii) re : Acute scarcity of Kerosene and Diesel oil in Tiptur Taluk.

Sri T. M. MANJUNATH (Tiptur).—I call the attention of the Minister of State for Food and Civil Supplies to the acute scarcity of kerosene and diesel oil in Tiptur Taluk.

Smt. E. E. Vaz (Minister for Food and Civil Supplies).—Sir, I make the following Statement:

Reports are being received of shortage of Kerosene and Diesel Oil from all parts of the State now and then. The State receives its supplies from the two refineries at Madras and Cochin and storage points in Goa and Guntakal fed by Bombay and Vizag refineries respectively. Some times, supplies are badly affected due to snags developing in the working of the refineries etc., and transport bottlenecks.

Shortage of Kerosene and Diesel Oil is country-wide phenomena and not peculiar to the Mysore State alone. However, close contacts are being maintained with the local representatives of the supplying firms with a view to ensure equitable distribution of the available supplies and to meet all our demands to the extent possible. All the enforcement authorities have been requested to enforce the control orders effectively and to book the offenders.

The following quantities of High Speed Diesel Oil and Kerosene Oil were reported to have been received in Tiptur Taluk during the month of April 1973.

i) High Speed Diesel Oil	75,400 litres
ii) Kerosene Oil	74,900 litres

The Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur, has reported that the quantities of High Speed Diesel and Kerosene Oil received in April 1973 in Tiptur Taluk was adequate for the normal requirements of the public and that, the Tahsildar has been instructed suitably to see that stocks are properly distributed.

ಶ್ರೀ ಟಿ. ಎಂ. ಮಂಜುನಾಥ್.—ಈ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ನಾನು ಕೇಳುವುದು ಏನೆಂದರೆ ಮೊದಲನೆಯದಾಗಿ ಮದ್ರಾಸು ಮತ್ತು ಕೊಚಿನ್ ರಿಫೈನರೀಸ್‌ಗೂ ಮತ್ತು ಇಂಡಿಯನ್ ಆಯಿಲ್ ಕಂಪನಿಗೂ ಏನಾದರೂ ಸಂಬಂಧ ಇದೆಯೇ ?

ಎರಡನೆಯದಾಗಿ ಬೇರೆ ಕಡೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ಇಂಡಿಯನ್ ಆಯಿಲ್ ಕಂಪನಿಯವರು ಸಿಗದಿ ಮಾಡಿರತಕ್ಕಂಥ ಧಾರಣಿಗಿರಿತ ಹೆಚ್ಚು ಧಾರಣಿಗೆ ಮಾರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣ ಏನು ? ಆದರೆ ನಮ್ಮ ನಮ್ಮ ತಾಲೂಕಿನಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಇಂಡಿಯನ್ ಆಯಿಲ್ ಕಂಪನಿ ಏಜೆನ್ಸೀಸ್ ಏನು ಇದ್ದಾರೆ ಅವರು ಸರಿಯಾಗೇ ಕೊಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ, ಅವರು ಬಹಳ ಪ್ರಾಮ್ನು ಆಗಿ ಮಾರುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಆದರೆ ಬೇರೆ ಕಡೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬೇರೆ ರೇಟಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಮಾರುತ್ತಿದ್ದಾರೆ ಎಂದು ನಾನು ಕೇಳಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಮತ್ತು ನಾನೇ ಒಂದು ತಾಲೂಕಿಗೆ ಹೋಗಿದ್ದಾಗ ನೋಡಿದೆ, ಹಳ್ಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಎಷ್ಟೋ ಜನಗಳಿಗೆ ದೀಪ ಇಲ್ಲದೆ ಪಟ್ಟಣಗಳಿಗೆ ಬಂದು ಶೀಮೆಯೆಣ್ಣೆ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಹೋಗಲು ಡಬ್ಬ ಮತ್ತು ಶೀಶಿಗಳನ್ನು ತಂದರೆ ಶೀಮೆಯೆಣ್ಣೆ ಸಿಗದೆ ವಾಪಸ್ಸು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಹೋಗುತ್ತಿದ್ದರು. ಮತ್ತು ಎಷ್ಟೋ ಬಾವಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ನೀರು ಕಡಿಮೆಯಾಗಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಪಂಪು ಸೆಟ್ಟುಗಳಿಗೆ ಡೀಸಲ್ ಉಪಯೋಗಿಸಬೇಕಾಗಿರುವುದರಿಂದ ಅವರಿಗೆ ಡೀಸಲ್ ಸರಿಯಾಗಿ ಸಿಕ್ಕುತ್ತಾ ಇಲ್ಲ. ಈ ರೀತಿ ತೊಂದರೆ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ ಮುಂದೆ ನಮ್ಮ ತಾಲೂಕಿಗೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ಬೇಕೋ ಅಷ್ಟನ್ನು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿ ಕೊಡುವ ವ್ಯವಸ್ಥೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೀರಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಇ. ಇ. ವಾಜ.—ನಮಗೆ ಜಾಸ್ತಿ ಬಂದರೆ ಜಾಸ್ತಿ ಕೊಡಲಿಕ್ಕೆ ಎರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಎರಡನೆಯದಾಗಿ ಈ ರಿಫೈನರೀಸಯಿಂದ ಬರುವುದು ಸೆಡುಟ್ರಲ್ ಗೌರ್ನಮೆಂಟ್ ಅವರು ಸ್ಟೇಟಿಗೆ ಎಷ್ಟು ಅಲಾಬ್ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಾರೋ ಅಷ್ಟು ಬರುತ್ತದೆ. ನಮಗೂ ಅವರಿಗೂ ಸಂಬಂಧವಿಲ್ಲ.

iv) re.: Smuggling of Jowar to Maharashtra from Gulbarga and Yadgir.

Sri MALLIKARJUN KHARGE.—(Gurmitkal) I call the attention of the Minister of State for Food and Civil Supplies to the smuggling of Jowar to Maharashtra from Gulbarga and Yadgir.

Smt. E. E. Vaz.—(Minister for Food and Civil Supplies)

Sir, I make the following Statement:

It is not correct to say that daily 8-9 lorries of Jowar are being smuggled from Yadgir and Gulbarga to Maharashtra and that the police are responsible for the same. Large number of cases of smuggling from Aland and Afzalpur side have been detected by the local police as well as by the Officers of C.I.D. during the period from 1-10-1972 to 31-3-1973 i. e. for a period of 6 months. 43 cases of smuggling of foodgrains to Maharashtra were detected by the local police. In these cases 632 bags of Jowar, 54 bags of rice, 386 bags of parched rice and $7\frac{1}{2}$ bags of maize were seized. Two cases of smuggling of foodgrains to Andhra Pradesh involving 18 bags of jowar and 78 bags of bajara were also detected.

During the same period, the Food Cell of C. I. D. has detected as many as 75 cases in Gulbarga district alone involving 450 quintals of rice, 275 quintals of jowar, 32 quintals of sugar, 1452 bags of parched rice, 23 bags of puffed rice and 1.75 quintals of maize.

It may therefore, be seen that the Police have taken action to prevent smuggling.

Instructions have been issued to tighten up the preventive measures further and to see there is absolutely no smuggling of foodgrains outside the State.

The allegations contained in the Calling Attention Notice are general and vague and if any specific instance is brought to the notice of Government, necessary enquiry would be instituted.

Sri MALLIKARJUN KHARGE.— I want to know whether the Government is aware that through Afzalpur taluka nearly 10,000 tonnes of jowar has been sent to Maharashtra during the period 1-10-1972 to 31-3-1973.

Smt. E. E. VAZ.—Except what I have stated, no other instance has come to the notice of the Government. I request the hon. member that if there is any such instance, to kindly bring it to the notice of the Government. Action will be taken to see that no smuggling takes place in future.

Sri MALLIKARJUN KHARGE.—At present there are no foodgrains in Gulbarga and the concerned minister has visited the district. The Hon. Chief Minister has stated that the Central Government has not supplied sufficient foodgrains to Mysore. May I know what steps the Government has taken and how the Government is going to supply foodgrains to Gulbarga District as well as to other parts of the State?

Smt. E. E. VAZ.—This Call Attention Notice pertains to the smuggling of jowar outside the State and the hon. member is asking what action will be taken to supply foodgrains. I would like to inform that action is being taken to bring as much foodgrain as possible and to supply them to the drought affected areas.

(Ruling of the Speaker)

re: Sitting of a stranger in the House and arrangements made in this regard.

MADAM SPEAKER.—Yesterday, there was some stir in the House when it was noticed that a stranger had strayed into the House and was found sitting. Immediately after he was spotted, the Deputy Speaker ordered him to leave the Chamber. Several members urged that action should be taken against the stranger. It was pleaded that he should be brought to the bar of the House and Suitable action taken for his Act. The Deputy Speaker promised to examine the matter.

Although I was not in the Chair when the incident happened, I heard the proceedings of the House when this matter was raised from my Chamber. I have carefully considered the whole matter. Article 193 of the Constitution states as follows :

“If a person sits or votes as a member of the Legislative Assembly or the Legislative Council of a State before he has complied with the requirements of article 188, **or when he knows that he is not qualified** or that he is disqualified for membership thereof, or that he is prohibited from so doing by the provisions of any law made by Parliament or the Legislature of the State, he shall be liable in respect of each day on which he so sits or votes to a penalty of five hundred rupees to be recovered as a debt due to the State.”

From the above Article, it might be seen that if a person who is not qualified for membership sits in the Legislative Assembly, he is liable to the penalty. In the present case, I feel that the House may take a lenient view without invoking the provisions of this Article. The person concerned has tendered to me an unqualified apology. He has stated that he was ignorant about the Rule that he should not enter the chamber. In view of his apology, I appeal to the House to treat the matter as closed.

I have, however, cautioned the security-men to be more alert in future. On this occasion, I would like to make an appeal to the members not to take with them their visitors into the Lobbies. If the members take their visitors with them into the Lobbies, the chances of some ignorant visitors entering the Chamber are not unlikely. The security men have been given strict instructions to restrict the entry to the Lounges to only those who have been permitted. I seek the co-operation of the Hon'ble Members in this regard.

Replies due to Questions etc.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಇ. ರಾಮಯ್ಯ (ಸಿರಗುಪ್ಪ).— ನಾನು ಎರಡು ಮೂರು ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುವ ಸೂಚನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದು ಇದು ವರೆಗೂ ಯಾವುದೂ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ. ಅಲ್ಲದೆ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳನ್ನು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿ ಮೂರು ತಿಂಗಳಾದರೂ ಕೂಡ ಅವೂ ಬಂದಿಲ್ಲ. ಇದರ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ತಾವು ನೋಡಬೇಕು.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು. ನಾಳೆಯಿಂದ ಒಂದೊಂದೇ ಗಮನ ಸೆಳೆಯುವ ಸೂಚನೆಗಳನ್ನು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳಬೇಕೆಂದಿದ್ದೇನೆ.

ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳ ಪರಿಸ್ಥಿತಿಯನ್ನು ಸ್ವಲ್ಪ ಹೇಳುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಒಟ್ಟು ೯೨ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು ಬಂದಿವೆ. ಅವುಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ೭೬ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳು ಉತ್ತರಿಸಲ್ಪಟ್ಟಿವೆ. ಇನ್ನೂ ೧೬ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಉತ್ತರ ಬರಬೇಕು. ೧೫ ದಿವಸಗಳೊಳಗಾಗಿ ಉತ್ತರ ಬರಬೇಕಾಗಿದ್ದು ಬಾರದೆ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ ರಿವೈಂಡರ್ ಮೇಲೆ ರಿವೈಂಡರ್ ಕಳುಹಿಸಿದ್ದು ಉತ್ತರಗಳು ೧೫ ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಇನ್ನೂ ಬರಬೇಕಾಗಿದೆ. ಇದು ಈಗ ಇರುವಂಥ ಪರಿಸ್ಥಿತಿ. ಉತ್ತರಗಳು ಎಷ್ಟು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳಿಗೆ ಬರುತ್ತವೆ ಅಷ್ಟು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆಗಳನ್ನೂ ನಾವು ಪ್ರಿಂಟ್ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಸಂಬಂಧಪಟ್ಟ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಮತ್ತು ಕಾರ್ಯದರ್ಶಿಗಳಿಗೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಕಾರ್ಯಾಲಯ ದಿಂದ ಫೋನ್ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದೇವೆ. ಅಲ್ಲಿಗೂ ಉತ್ತರಗಳು ಬರುತ್ತಿಲ್ಲ.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—May I make a submission in this behalf. I have files relating to about 14 Questions for which replies have already been sent by my department, but so far they have not been included in the list of Questions. There seems to be something wrong somewhere. The Chair may kindly look into it.

MADAM SPEAKER.—From the public works department answers for 52 questions are yet to be received.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—I feel that there is something wrong somewhere which the chair may kindly look into it.

MADAM SPEAKER.—I will look into it.

Sri H. S. SIDDAPPA.—In January I had sent 3 Questions which were renewed twice. I verified from the Legislature Secretariate that even though they have sent a D. O. letter they have not received replies to those Questions so far. My feeling is that there is somebody's handling in this and hence the replies are not being sent.

Strike by the House Surgeons and Statement by the Minister for Health

ಶ್ರೀ ಕಾಗೋಡು ತಿಮ್ಮಪ್ಪ (ಸಾಗರ).—ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರೇ, ರೂಲ್ ೩೧೨ರ ಪ್ರಕಾರ ಒಂದು ವಿಷಯವನ್ನು ಪ್ರಸ್ತಾಪ ಮಾಡುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಅನುಮತಿ ಕೇಳಿದ್ದೇನೆ. ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳು ನಿನ್ನೆಯ ದಿವಸ ಸಭೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಹೌಸ್ ಸರ್ಜನ್ಸ್ ವಿಚಾರದಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ಹೇಳಿಕೆಯನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟರು. ಆದರೆ ಈ ಹೊತ್ತಿನ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಗಳನ್ನು ನೋಡಿದ್ದರಲ್ಲಿ ಎಲ್ಲ ಆಸ್ಪತ್ರೆಗಳಲ್ಲಿಯೂ ಇವರು ಮುಷ್ಕರ ಮಾಡಿದ್ದರಿಂದ ಅಲ್ಲಿಯ ಕೆಲಸವೆಲ್ಲ ಅಸ್ತವ್ಯಸ್ತವಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂದು ವರದಿ ಯಾಗಿದೆ. ನಿನ್ನೆ ಹೇಳಿಕೆ ಕೊಡುತ್ತ ಹೌಸ್ ಸರ್ಜನ್‌ಸಿಪ್